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Name	Donald Paul Eden	Date <u>2/17/78</u> Time <u>3:00 P.M.</u>
Address	1285 North King Street	Place Same
Hampton, Virginia 23669 (Eden Galleries, Ltd.)		Tel. No. 804-722-7497/98.

Interview:

At the above time and date, Donald Paul Eden was interviewed at his place of business, Eden Galleries, Ltd., 1285

North King Street, Hampton, Virginia 23669. (804-722-7497/98)

Mr. Eden is a retired major who was a Liaison Officer to Headquarters TAC (Tactical Air Command) for Air Force Security

Service, Langley Air Force Base, Hampton, VA. It was his duty to provide intelligence to Tactical Commands in addition to coordinating plans and giving guidance to other TAC units.

During the interview, Mr. Eden stated that his information is secondhand and not of personal knowledge as previously reported to the Committee on September 16, 1977 by Mr. Michael A. Rorer. Further, he stated that sometime in 1969 or 1970, he was engaged in an informal discussion with a captain (name not recalled at this point) who was "r.i.f.'ed" out of the service between 1970 and 1971. This discussion was related to who was, in fact, behind the Kennedy assassination. Mr. Eden indicated that the Captain's contention was that the "Soviet"

Union and Cuba were behind the assassination". In order to

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support this contention, the Captain told Mr. Eden that just prior to the assassination he was assigned to the Special Intelligence Command of the Air Force Special Security Office (AFSSO) at Langley Air Force Base. The Captain continued that sometime between Sunday and Tuesday, the week of the assassination, while serving as duty officer, he saw a message which was intercepted on the Moscow to Mexico City link to be relayed to Cuba (or Soviet Embassy to Mexico City Embassy to the Cuban Embassy). The intercepted message specified "something about Kennedy, Dallas and Oswald" and specified the "actual date". In addition, the Captain said that soon after the assassination (time unspecified but probably "days") another message was received from the Command Center addressed to all personnel to destroy any and all records pertaining to the intercepted message, which Mr. Eden felt was highly irregular. It is believed all of the records were destroyed.

Mr. Eden provided a description of the Captain as follows:

Male, white, approximately 5'7" or 5'8", about 190 pounds, pudgy build and dark hair.

Mr. Eden could not recall the Captain's name. However, after further discussion, it was suggested that he attempt to obtain the name through telephone inquiries at Langley Air Force Base, since he was known at and discharged from the Base. Mr. Eden readily agreed and made a number of inquiries by telephone which culminated in a conversation with Sergeant Leber. The

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Sergeant had known and/or worked with the Captain and indicated that his last name is Stanley. He further stated that Captain Stanley went to study at Miami University following his separation from the service.